



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, Idaho professional truck drivers safely deliver important goods to every community, school, business, and home in Idaho; and

WHEREAS, Idaho truck drivers travel more than 1.6 billion miles, while delivering millions of tons of freight each year; and

WHEREAS, Idaho professional truck drivers have been honored as among the safest driver on our highways, and may have received awards for extraordinary acts of heroism and bravery for saving fellow motorists from injury and death; and

WHEREAS, Idaho professional truck drivers are hard-working men and women who serve the communities, schools and businesses of this state with dedication and without fanfare everyday; and

WHEREAS, the economic system of Idaho rides on the wheels of trucks and the men and women who drive them;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim August 24 through 30, 2003, to be

TRUCK DRIVER APPRECIATION WEEK

in Idaho, and I urge the citizens of this state to honor the more than thirty-nine thousand Idahoans who help deliver our good by truck for a living.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this fifteenth day of July in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Ben Isukua in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

BEN ISUKUA
SECRETARY OF STATE